

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (withdrawn) A method of manufacturing an information display device having an information display panel, in which display media are sealed between two substrates, at least one substrate being transparent, and, in which the display media, to which an electrostatic field is applied, are made to move so as to display information such as an image, characterized in that the improvement comprises, in the case of electrically connecting an electrode arranged on one substrate and an electrode arranged on the other substrate at an outer portion of an information display portion of the information display panel, the steps of:

arranging an adhesive including conductive spacer particles having a diameter smaller than a distance between the electrodes arranged on the substrates at a predetermined portion between the substrates; and

pressing a portion of the substrate, to which the adhesive is arranged, under pressure; so that the electrode arranged on one substrate is electrically connected to the electrode arranged on the other substrate.

2. (withdrawn) The method of manufacturing an information display device according to claim 1, wherein a diameter of the conductive spacer particles included in the adhesive is 5 - 50 μm .

3. (withdrawn) A method of manufacturing an information display device having an information display panel, in which display media are sealed between two substrates, at least one substrate being transparent, and, in which the display media, to which an electrostatic field is applied, are made to move so as to display information such as an image, characterized in that the improvement comprises, in the case of electrically connecting an electrode arranged on one substrate and an electrode arranged on the other substrate at an outer portion of an information display portion of the information display panel, the steps of:

arranging an adhesive including conductive spacer particles at a predetermined portion between the substrates; and

arranging a spacer between adjacent electrodes, to which the adhesive including the conductor spacer particles are arranged; so that the electrode arranged on one substrate is electrically connected to the substrate arranged on the other substrate.

4. (withdrawn) The method of manufacturing an information display device according to claim 3, wherein, if the information display panel forms cells between the substrates, which are isolated with each other by partition walls, the spacer is formed simultaneously when the cells are formed.

5. (currently amended) A method of manufacturing an information display device having an information display panel, in which display media are sealed between ~~two substrates~~ first substrate and a second substrate, at least one of the first substrate and the second substrate being transparent, and, in which the display media, to which an electrostatic field is applied, are

made to move so as to display information such as an image, ~~characterized in that the~~
~~improvement comprises the steps of~~ the method comprising:

preparing a the first substrate, in which electrodes are provided on both a front
surface and a rear surface of one-the first substrate, and, in which the electrodes are electrically
connected with each other via through holes;

stacking the ~~thus-prepared~~ first substrate and the ~~other~~ second substrate; and

connecting connection terminals of an outer circuit directly to the electrodes
provided at the rear surface of ~~one-the first~~ substrate.

6. (currently amended) The method of manufacturing an information display device
according to claim 5, wherein ~~one-the first~~ substrate, in which the electrodes are provided on the
front surface and the rear surface thereof, is a rear substrate.

7. (withdrawn) The method of manufacturing an information display device according to
one of claims 1 - 6, wherein the display media are particles or liquid powders.

8. (new) The method of manufacturing an information display device according to claim
5, wherein the electrodes are provided on both the front surface and the rear surface of the first
substrate so as to be recessed within the front surface and the rear surface, respectively.